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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
HISAO NEMOTO, ET AL.	:	Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
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Application No.: 10/529,216	:	Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
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Filing Date: March 25, 2005	:	
	)	
For: GLYCEROL DERIVATIVES	:	
	)	May 24, 2005

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to action on the merits, please amend the above-identified application  
as follows: